

House Resolution 1065

By: Representatives Channell of the 116th, McCall of the 30th, England of the 108th, Parham of the 141st, and Hudson of the 124th

A RESOLUTION

1 Commending Tom Thompson on the occasion of his retirement in 2008 from the Georgia
2 dairy industry and Georgia Milk Producers, Inc.; and for other purposes.

3 WHEREAS, Tom Thompson, a Georgia dairy farmer for over 48 years, has proudly served
4 as the voice for Georgia's hard working dairy producers for the past ten years educating
5 legislative, government, and industry officials on the issues affecting the dairy industry; and

6 WHEREAS, he graduated from Emory University with a BBA in finance and accounting;
7 and

8 WHEREAS, upon graduation he went to serve in the U. S. Air Force; and

9 WHEREAS, he has been involved with the dairy industry since 1960 and has served that
10 industry, the state, and his community in various capacities: president of the Tom
11 Thompson Company, Inc.; president for ten years of Georgia Milk Producers, Inc.; chairman
12 of the board of Tri County Electric Membership Co-op in Gray, Georgia; and currently a
13 general partner with Eatonton Dairy Farm, LLLP; and

14 WHEREAS, he is married to the former Pamela MacLeod and they have seven children and
15 15 grandchildren.

16 NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED BY THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES that
17 the members of this body recognize Tom Thompson for his outstanding contributions to the
18 dairy industry, congratulate him on the occasion of his retirement from the industry, and
19 extend to him their sincerest best wishes for a healthy and fulfilling retirement.

20 BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED that the Clerk of the House of Representatives is authorized
21 and directed to transmit an appropriate copy of this resolution to Tom Thompson.